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## Filing Date Granted

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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
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In the application of:

Steve Teig

Serial No.: 10/039,586

Filing Date: 1/4/02

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

STORING ROUTES FOR GROUPS OF RELATED NET CONFIGURATIONS

Examiner: <not yet assigned>

Group Art Unit: 2661

### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Dear Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated 2/8/02, attached please find:

- 1. Notice to File Corrected Application Papers Part 2; Method and Apparatus for Storing Routes for Groups of Related Net Configurations.
- 2. 74 sheets of corrected drawings as set forth in 35 CFR 1.84.
- 3. A preliminary amendment.
- 4. A Return Receipt Post Card.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-1128** referencing SPLX.P0048.

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